

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of Thomas Wroe VAS2087

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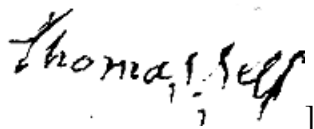
Transcribed by Will Graves

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[From [rejected pension records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

[Note: On February 18, 1832, Thomas Self¹ gave an affidavit before Samuel Cralle, JP, in which Self apparently states that Thomas Wroe was a Revolutionary War soldier, but the quality of the image is so poor as to render it illegible as to its substance.

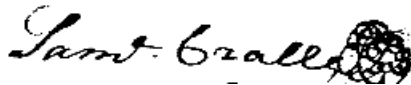


[Note: The following document appears in the file indexed under the name of William Wroe]

The affidavit of Samuel Cralle aged about Seventy years taken had Northumberland Court house & State of Virginia the 11th day of July 1831 by Joseph C Edwards a Justice of the Peace for the County of Northumberland & state of Virginia.

The affiant being first duly sworn according to law deposeth & saith that he knew Thomas Wroe formerly of the County of Richmond & State aforesaid that he enlisted in the United States service for five years, that he served that time & returned to the adjoining County of Northumberland at the ending of the Revolutionary War & further this affiant saith not.

S/ Saml. Cralle



Sworn before me a justice of the peace for Northumberland County & State of Virginia this 11th day of July 1831

S/ J. C. Edwards

I certify the above named affiant Samuel Cralle is a credible person and entitled to credit & belief

S/ J. C. Edwards

[Note: Gwathmey notes that a Thomas Wroe (Row) served as follows:

¹ [Thomas Self S19461](#)

Wroe, Thomas, Richmond Co. Mil., rec.
as 2nd Lieut. Apr. 5, 1779; oath
June 7, 1779.

Wroe, Thomas, 5 CL.